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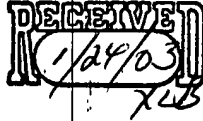
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Filed: January 12, 2001 Art Unit: 2151  
Docket: 15-910 -4254  
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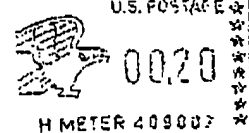
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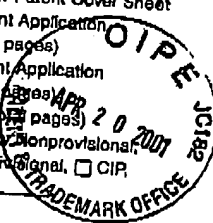


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REVOCATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to an application for letters patent for IMPROVED SAMPLING FOR QUERIES, Serial No. 09/759,804, filed January 12, 2001, hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney and appoints each of the following attorneys, all of whom are associated with Watts, Hoffmann, Fisher & Heinke Co., L.P.A. (Telephone No. 216/241-6700, Facsimile No. 216/241-8151), an attorney of record to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent Office connected therewith: Thomas E. Fisher, Reg. No. 18,271; Lowell L. Heinke, Reg. No. 19,471; James G. Watterson, Reg. No. 20,180; Linn J. Raney, Reg. No. 23,078; John R. Hlavka, Reg. No. 29,076; Stephen J. Schultz, Reg. No. 29,108; Richard A. Sharpe, Reg. No. 34,722; George L. Pinchak, Reg. No. 37,697; Paul A. Serbinowski, Reg. No. 34,429; Kenneth J. Smith, Reg. No. 45,115; William A. Johnston, Reg. No. 47,687 and Jennifer Nock Hinton, Reg. No. 47,653 and the following attorney(s), all of whom are associated with Microsoft Corporation having an address of One Microsoft Way, Redmond, Washington 98052-6399, namely, Daniel D. Crouse, Reg. No. 32,022 and Katie E. Sako, Reg. No. 32,628 and hereby appoints the foregoing Stephen J. Schultz, Reg. No. 29,108 principal attorney.

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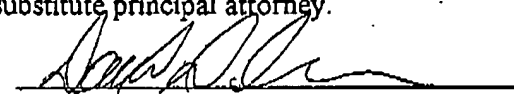
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Date 4/10/03



Daniel D. Crouse  
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